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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/600,106
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Applicant: Guido Wiertz et al.
Group Art Unit: 3746
Examiner: Charles G. Freay
Title: PLURAL COMPRESSORS
Attorney Docket: 0315-000547

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

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